## PATENT APPLICATION

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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Daikichi FUKUSHIMA, et al.

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For:

GLUCOPYRANOSE DERIVATIVES AND MEDICAMENTS FOR PREVENTING AND/OR TREATING HIV INFECTION DISEASES COMPRISING THE SAME AS

AN ACTIVE INGREDIENT

## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

## MAIL STOP NON-FEE AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages.